



Univa Joins Red Hat ISV Partner Program

Grid pioneer becomes Red Hat Ready Partner and validates open source software stack on the leading open source operating system

Chicago, IL, April 16, 2007—Univa Corporation, the leading provider of commercial software, support and services for grid solutions based on open source Globus software, today announced it has joined the Red Hat Inc. (NASDAQ:RHAT) ISV Partner Program, which offers software vendors the opportunity to easily access the tools and resources necessary to develop and test their applications on Red Hat Enterprise Linux, the leading platform for open source computing. Univa also joins as a Red Hat Ready Partner.

By joining the Red Hat ISV Partner Program and the Red Hat Ready Partner Program, Univa will take advantage of the program's co-marketing and co-branding offerings to bring Univa Globus, its complete open source software stack for grid and cluster computing, to the global community of Red Hat Enterprise Linux customers.

"We recognize Red Hat as the most-widely deployed open source operating platform for grid and high performance computing (HPC) applications," said Jason Liu, Univa's CEO. "As an ISV partner, Univa will leverage Red Hat's extensive resources to ensure that solutions incorporating Univa Globus are optimized for the Red Hat platform, and provide our customers with a comprehensive open source offering for their enterprise computing needs."

Univa Globus is based on the Globus Toolkit, which is the most widely deployed grid software platform in the world. Univa Globus incorporates software for both cluster and enterprise-wide job scheduling, data management, security and monitoring. When combined with Red Hat Enterprise Linux and Univa's industry leading professional services, Univa Globus delivers a comprehensive open source solution for all HPC and grid environments, whether a single cluster within a department, or an enterprise-wide grid spanning a global organization.

"Red Hat Enterprise Linux provides an exceptional set of technologies to underpin Univa Globus deployments," said Steve Tuecke, CTO of Univa. "By validating our products on the Red Hat platform, Univa's customers are assured that their grid environment meets the highest levels of compatibility, manageability and extensibility."

Globus-based grid solutions have been supported on Red Hat platforms for many years, by Univa and the open source community. The partnership extends the depth of this support and enables Univa to more effectively develop, test and certify its products on the Red Hat platform.

About Univa

Univa is the premier open source grid software and services company in the marketplace, providing comprehensive solutions for grid and high performance computing. Univa's customers include many of the leading commercial, government and academic institutions in the world. The company's founders are the "Fathers of Grid Computing" and have led the direction of grid computing for the past decade. Gartner has identified grid computing and open source in its top ten technologies to watch in 2007. Univa is at the intersection of these two key trends and is spearheading the adoption of open source grid solutions in industries such as pharmaceuticals, electronics, oil and gas, and manufacturing. Univa is a privately held company based in Chicago. For more information, please visit www.univa.com.

About Red Hat, Inc.

Red Hat, the world's leading open source solutions provider, is headquartered in Raleigh, NC with satellite offices spanning the globe. The most trusted name in open source, CIOs and other senior-level IT executives have ranked Red Hat as the industry's most valued vendor for two consecutive years in the CIO Insight Magazine Vendor Value study. Red Hat is leading Linux and open source solutions into the mainstream by making high quality, low cost technology accessible. Red Hat provides operating system software along with middleware, applications and management solutions. Red Hat also offers support, training and consulting services to its customers worldwide and through top-tier partnerships. Red Hat's open source strategy offers customers a long term plan for building infrastructures that are based on and leverage open source technologies with focus on security and ease of management. Learn more: www.redhat.com

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